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Dec. 9, 1875—d&wtf

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GROCERS and DAIRYMEN, do you wish to REALIZE FIVE CENTS MORE a pound for your Butter? Address at once A. H. MYERS & CO., 100 Madison Street, Chicago, Ill
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Hams sliced, at 20 cents per pound—best in Decatur, Feb. 24, 1877—dtf

Bankrupt Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have been appointed Provisional Assignee in the matter of Joseph Jack and Ann Jack, bankrupts, of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois; that the said bankrupt's estate consists in part of a stock of groceries, such as is usually kept in a grocery store, and that I will receive bids for the purchase, in bulk, of said stock of goods, up to noon of March 6th, 1877, at Decatur, Illinois. Said bids must be on the basis of a percentage of the inventory of said goods to be made by me—which inventory, together with the stock of goods referred to, can be examined at the store-room one door north of McRoberts' old stand, in Decatur, Illinois aforesaid—bids to be reported by me to the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois, for approval or rejection.
TERMS OF SALE—One-half of the amount of the bill to be paid cash in hand, upon the acceptance of the bid by the said court, and the remaining one-half on a credit of sixty days, the purchaser giving note with approved security.
For further information apply to me in person or by letter, at Decatur, aforesaid.
L. W. EHRMAN,
Feb. 23-d10d Provisional Assignee

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of William T. Rucker and against Robert G. Hervey, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of lot No. nine (9), in block No. ten (10), of Prather, Martin & Gatling's Addition to Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, running thence west eighty (80) feet, thence south two hundred and twenty-eight and one-fourth (228½) feet to the beginning point, (being the northwest corner of the lot hereby described), running thence east to the land belonging to the Illinois Central Railroad Company, thence in a southwesterly course along the line of said railroad company's land to a point forty (40) feet south of the line running east, thence west to a point forty (40) feet due south of the point of beginning, thence north forty (40) feet to the point of beginning. Taken as property of the said Robert G. Hervey, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1877, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.
This 19th day of February, A. D. 1877.
M. FORSTMYER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
Feb. 18, 1877—d3w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

In Chancery, } Tuesday the ninth day of
In Chambers. } January, A. D. 1877.
Between Mary Jane Jacobs, by her next friend, Alfred Brown, plaintiff, and John Ferguson, George Ferguson, Sarah Ann Greer, George McMahon, William K. Jacobs and Margaret Ferguson, defendants
UPON the application of the above-named plaintiff, and upon hearing read the amended bill of complaint herein, and the affidavits of the plaintiff and of William E. Armstrong and Isaac A. Buckingham, it is ordered that the defendant, William K. Jacobs, do, on or before the thirty-first day of March next, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause.
[L. s.]
(Signed) R. P. STEPHENS, Ref.
SMYTHE & DICKSON, Barristers, &c., Kingston, Canada.
To WILLIAM K. JACOBS, one of the above-named defendants:
Take notice, that if you do not answer or demur to the bill pursuant to the above order the plaintiff may obtain an order to take the bill as confessed against you, and the court may grant such relief as she may be entitled to on her own showing, and you will not receive any further notice of the future proceedings in the cause.
Your answer is to be filed at the office of the Deputy Registrar of this Court in the City of Kingston.
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MAILS CLOSE

For West and St. Louis ..... 11 00 a. m
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H. P. LATTLE, Postmaster.
Decatur, Ill., Jan 1, 1877.

FIGURES ARE WHAT IS WANTED.

Not election majorities, but such as interest the great army of American producers. Twenty-five years ago the eight counties of Missouri now traversed by the Old Reliable Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad were nearly a wilderness. To-day, by a late census, it is discovered that these counties produce over *one-fourteenth* of the wheat crop of the State, over *one-twelfth* of the corn crop, and over *one-ninth* of the oats. The same growth of country is now being repeated in Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado and New Mexico, and the immortal Greeley had this identical route and section of country in mind when he breathed those stirring words of wisdom, "*Young man, go West.*" Therefore it is but natural that parties taking this advice should desire to pass over a road that has done so much for a great State, (especially as it offers the best facilities) and see for themselves. By the Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad, through cars are run from Cleveland and Toledo, and through connections made from Cincinnati and Indianapolis, *via Quincy*, to St. Jo, Atchison and Kansas City, and from Chicago to Kansas City *without change*. We are about to issue, in connection with our own, a county map of Colorado and New Mexico, giving valuable information as regards time tables, routes, distances, altitudes, &c., which we will be pleased to furnish *free*, upon application in person or by letter, addressed to
T. PENFIELD, G. P. & T. A.,
Jan. 16-dtf Hannibal, Mo.

Decatur Building & Benefit Association—A 3rd series of the stock of this association will be issued to date from the first Tuesday of March next. Subscriptions received and full information given by the secretary, at the office of Warren & Durfee. By order of the board.
C. A. EWING, Pres.
B K. DURFEE, Sec'y.
Feb 7 dtf

For Rent.—The store building on East Main street, (now occupied by J. P. Smallwood,) is for rent on reasonable terms. Apply at the store of W. F Busher feb8-d4w

Plastering.—Orders for plastering and repairing of plastering or cisterns promptly attended to by D. B. Kaufman, in winter as well as at all other seasons.
Dec 13 dtf

Lyon's Kathairon makes beautiful glossy, luxuriant hair; prevents its falling out or turning gray. It has stood the test of 40 years. Is charmingly perfumed, and has no rival.
March 10, 1876—deod w1y

The Handsomest and Cheapest
BLACK SILKS
ever opened in Decatur, at
April 7-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

When you call on E. B. Pratt, at 37 North Church street, for your meat and groceries, you can leave orders for wood, either stove or cord-wood length, which will be promptly delivered in any part of the city.
Nov. 28 d&w3m

Pasturage.—200 acres of choice pasture, adjoining the city—Sangamon river running through it. Will pasture cows at $2.50 per month, payable the middle of each month, and a careful driver furnished to drive the cattle to and from the pasture. Inquire of T. B. Albert, Esq., for particulars. jan29-d6w

Photography.—Mrs. T. H. Butler desires to inform the citizens of Decatur and vicinity that she intends to continue the photograph business in all its branches, in the rooms over Rucker, Hammer & Co.'s Bank, recently occupied by her late husband, and she feels confident that her long experience with him in the business will enable her to do all kinds of work in the most satisfactory manner. The public are invited to examine her specimens.
Feb. 20 dtf

Holloway's Pills and Ointment.—Scrofula was considered incurable until the great discovery of "Holloway's Pills and Ointment" flashed upon the world. Diseases which baffle the skill of the medical schools, readily yield to these peerless remedies. Scurvy, Erysipelas, Saltrheum, Itch, and all cutaneous eruptions are curable by them. 25 cents per box or pot. feb29daw1w

UNCLE DANIEL DREW COMING OUT STRONG.

N. Y. Tribune.

Daniel Drew expects to be relieved from the bankruptcy proceedings against him next week, and asserts his intention to appear on the street again "The boys think I'm played out," he said a few nights ago to Mr. Knight, at the Hoffman House, "but I'll give 'em many a turn yet." He has been living for some time at the Hoffman House, where he is as lively as a cricket. His old residence at the southwest corner of Seventeenth street and Union Square is being altered to make room for stores and flats. About $100 000 is being spent in the alterations. From his house and the one adjoining two stores are to be formed, with four floors of French flats above them. In the rear, the former stables on Seventeenth street are being removed entirely, and stores and flats facing Seventeenth street, at the northwest corner of the square, are to be erected in their places. Robert Goelet, on the opposite side of Seventeenth street, is about the only one of the old family on the square who refuses to give way to the march of improvement His brother Peter clings with the same tenacity to the corner of Nineteenth and Broadway.

"Uncle Daniel" went to Putnam county after his illness, but he could not rest there in quiet. He was accustomed to by cattle in that district when young, and he says that while there he was troubled with visitors, "Some of 'em nigh onter a hun'red years old," who dunned him for cattle they said he had bought on credit when he was a cattle drover. "And I never kept no books—how was I to know I owed him for them critters?" He refused to pay, but was so bothered by the old creditors that he came back to New York in self defense. "Besides," he said, it is so dull outen there; yer never can tell till next day how stocks is gone." So he came to the Hoffman House, where he enjoys the advantage of a Gold and Stock telegraph instrument, and knows who is ruined in Wall street the moment the event occurs.

A BLUE-GLASS MAN.

He was a blue-glass man. He had read about blue glass, and believed in it, and was determined to be the healthiest individual in the town. "Have ye any blue glass in strips for winders?" inquired he, as he rushed into a glazing shop. "We have, sir," was the cheerful reply; "just the thing, as recommended by the Pleasonton theory." "Wall, then," said Bluey, "I'll take enough for four winders." He paid the money and departed, while the glazier chuckled, "Good thing for us fellows, the blue glass craziness." Bluey kept on. He went into an optician's and bought a pair of blue goggles to wear on his eyes. He dropped into a hat store and ordered a little round piece of blue glass put in the top of his hat in place of the usual tin ventilator. He then partook of a dinner of blue fish at a restaurant with a blue skylight, dipped his fingers into a blue-glass finger bowl, and refused to drink anything until the waiter hunted him up a mug with a blue glass bottom. The day was now spent, and, going home in a blue light street car, the blue-glass man, meeting his children at the door, refused to kiss any but those having blue eyes, sat down in a blue chair to read a copy of the Blue Laws of Connecticut, and got into such a fit of the blues, that he took some blue ink, and, writing in his will that at his death the glass in his coffin should be blue glass, and his monument made of blue granite, he grabbed a revolver and blew out his brains.—*Exchange.*

Keep's Parent Partly Made Shirts, $1.00, and the Manhattan shirts, made complete, $1.25—the best and cheapest shirts in the market, at
LINN & SCRUGGS.
June 2-dtf.

Wanted—At the Farmers' Store, No. 37 North Church street, in exchange for goods and greenbacks, Butter, Eggs, Chickens, Pork, Beef, Potatoes, Corn and Wood. E B PRATT.
Nov. 28 d&w3m

Latest Styles of Lambrequins—patterns just received, at
ASHBY'S, Opera Block.
Feb 6 d&wtf

Never buy until you examine goods and prices at Linn & Scruggs'. 20 yards of bleached cotton for one dollar; 12 yards of cotton flannel, $1.00., All-wool Flannels, Blankets and Repellants, cheap. Dec 12 d&wtf

Fourteen Yards of cotton flannel for $1; 3 spools machine thread for 10 cents, Delaine, 10 cents, checked and plain flannels 20 cents, Alapacas, 18 cents, Cashmeres, 40 cents, &c &c at
THEO. A. GERRMANN'S
jan8-w2m-d1m

E. B. PRATT,
No. 37 North Church street, is prepared to furnish all kinds of Groceries, Glass and Queensware; at low prices for cash or produce. Stove wood, ready sawed, delivered to any part of the city.
Nov. 28 d&w3m

Madame Foy's Skirt-supporting Corsets; Moody's Abdominal Corsets, and Bortree's Adjustable Duplex Corsets, *very cheap*, at
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Have you Tried it.

We refer to the most remarkable compound, Dr. Morris' Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Horehound, for coughs, colds, blood spitting, weak lungs, croup, whooping cough, asthma, bronchitis, and all diseases of the lungs and throat. Probably no similar preparation ever before so quickly found its way into public favor as this. Its sale in our community is simply enormous. Those who have been disappointed in other so-called remedies are specially invited to try this. Be sure to get the genuine Dr. Morris' Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Horehound. There are imitations in the market. Trial size 10 cents. Regular sizes, 50 cents and one dollar Sold by Dr. A. J Stoner, Decatur, Ill.

Very pleasant, and always effective is Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup, and no physic required Ask us.
Feb. 1-d&wlm

500 Pairs Old Dominion Buck Gloves, Mitts and Gauntlets, for ladies and gents—the best and cheapest in America. And as parties from *Decatur and Marou* are selling inferior gloves, which they falsely represent as the "Old Dominion Buck Gloves," we caution the public against the fraud, as we control the entire production, and *none* are genuine that are not stamped with the name of "Geo. H. Ott" on the inside.
Oct 17 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Recommended by the Faculty.—Allen's Strengthening Cordial and Liver Pills. They have cured thousands of hopeless cases where all other known remedies have failed; this, too, without any of the horrors that attend surgery, or the heroic medical treatment. They are worth a whole army of doctors.—Try them and be convinced. For sale by all druggists. [jan18-d&wly

Here we are at V. Barber & Co.'s, where may be found everything needed by the public in the line of boots and shoes. In the matter of styles, this firm is always up with the times, and their quality of goods is not excelled by any house in the state. Remember the place, second door east of the old square, on south side of Main street.

If you are are suffering with a severe cough or cold, call on your druggist and get a bottle of Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup, and save doctor bills. It relieves instantly. Price 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.
feb22d&w1w

Sabbath School Institute.—E. Payson Porter, Statistical Secretary of the Illinois State Sabbath School Association, will hold a Sabbath School Institute in the lecture-room of the 1st M. E church, this city, on Friday evening, Feb. 23d, beginning at 7½ o'clock All persons interested in Sabbath School work are especially invited to be present.
(Signed) J. R. GORIN,
Chairman Ex. Com. of the Macon Co. Sabbath School Association.
MILTON JOHNSON, Sec'y.
Decatur, Ill., Feb. 18, 1877.
19-5dd w1t

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DR A. J. STONER, Ag't for Decatur.
Nov. 22, '76 dly

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Are often soothed by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, because that searching corrective completely removes the causes of brain and nerve excitement, which are to be found in derangement of the stomach, and of its associate organs, the liver and bowels. It is a truth which cannot be too earnestly insisted upon, that the effect of mere sedatives and narcotics, like bromide of potassium, valerian, chloral hydrate and opium, is less appreciable the longer they are used, and that they can never permanently relieve nervous excitability, because they cannot remedy the weakness and organic derangement which lies at its roots. Hostetter's Bitters, however, can and does cure nervous maladies, for the reason already stated. Sick headache, restlessness at night, vertigo, mental heaviness, and depression of spirits, as well as the dyspeptic condition of the stomach, and torpidity of the liver and bowels, which give rise to them, are entirely obviated by the benign alterative tonic.
Feb 9 d&w1w

POWERS' HALL.

Grand Roller Skating.

There will be a skating at the rink the same as usual afternoons and evenings, commencing Saturday afternoon, Feb. 3d. Admission—afternoon, 25 cts; skates free. Evening's admission, 25 cents—ladies' skates free.
GIGER & THOMPSON.
Feb. 3 dtf

For Sale.—A good frame dwelling with seven rooms, eight closets and pantries, cellar, well, cistern and other improvements. Lot 100 by 150 feet, well filled with bearing fruit trees and vines. Apply at this office. oct28-dtf

Lost, somewhere in the city a full upper set of false teeth. The finder will please leave the same at this office.
Feb. 21—dtf

A NEW COMER TO DECATUR.

On or about March 1st,

'CHEAP CHARLEY,'

THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND,

Will open one of our BRANCH STORES at Decatur, in the store till now occupied by Jack & Son, on the

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CLOTHING!
For Men, Youths and Boys;
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
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will not be surpassed; and our System of Business will WARRANT BETTER GOODS AT LOWER PRICES than ever before offered in this market—one-price only. All our Goods are bought and sold for CASH.—Every article of Clothing in our house is of our own manufacturing; made of the best material, after the latest fashions, under our personal supervision, and *retailed at wholesale prices.*

We give this notice now to advise the inhabitants of Decatur and vicinity of our coming, and will in a short time announce in this column the day of our opening.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH,

Manufacturers of Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing, and dealers in all kinds of Furnishing Goods.
HEADQUARTERS—244 North Clark street, Chicago. BRANCH—Northeast corner West Main and Water street, Decatur, Ill. feb20 dtf

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IRON WORKS!
Corner of Broadway and the T., W. & W. R. R., Decatur, Illinois.

Is prepared to furnish all kinds of fine Castings in Gray Iron; also, Window Weights, Hitching Posts, Cellar Grates, Sealing Ladies, &c. Patterns made to order Cash paid for OLD IRON.
June 16—d&w6m

Epilepsy or Fits.

SAMARITAN NERVINE, the great Nerve Conquerer, cures Epileptic Fits, Convulsions, Spasms, St. Vitus Dance, and all nervous diseases; the only well known positive and sure cure for Epilepsy. It has been tested by thousands and has never been known to fail in a single case. Inclose stamp for circulars, giving evidence of cures. Trial package free. Please give name of express office when ordering medicine. Also send names and address of all persons subject to Epileptic Fits. Address DR. S. A. RICHMOND, Box 741, St. Joseph, Mo.
Jan. 13, 1876—d&wly

FORTY YEARS BEFORE THE PUBLIC.
DR. C. McLANE'S
CELEBRATED
LIVER PILLS,
FOR THE CURE OF
Hepatitis or Liver Complaint,
DYSPEPSIA AND SICK HEADACHE.

Symptoms of a Diseased Liver.

PAIN in the right side, under the edge of the ribs, increases on pressure; sometimes the pain is in the left side; the patient is rarely able to lie on the left side; sometimes the pain is felt under the shoulder-blade, and it frequently extends to the top of the shoulder, and is sometimes mistaken for a rheumatism in the arm. The stomach is affected with loss of appetite and sickness; the bowels in general are costive, sometimes alternative with lax; the head is troubled with pain, accompanied with a dull, heavy sensation in the back part. There is generally a considerable loss of memory, accompanied with a painful sensation of having left undone something which ought to have been done. A slight, dry cough is sometimes an attendant. The patient complains of weariness and debility; he is easily startled, his feet are cold or burning, and he complains of a prickly sensation of the skin; his spirits are low; and although he is satisfied that exercise would be beneficial to him, yet he can scarcely summon up fortitude enough to try it. In fact, he distrusts every remedy. Several of the above symptoms attend the disease, but cases have occurred where few of them existed, yet examination of the body, after death, has shown the LIVER to have been extensively deranged.

AGUE AND FEVER.

DR. C. McLANE'S LIVER PILLS, IN CASES OF AGUE AND FEVER, when taken with Quinine, are productive of the most happy results. No better cathartic can be used, preparatory to, or after taking Quinine. We would advise all who are afflicted with this disease to give them A FAIR TRIAL.

For all Bilious derangements, and as a simple purgative, they are unequaled.

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FLEMING BROS. Pittsburgh, Pa

J. A. Williams, M. D.

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON!

Late Physician to the Detroit, Mich.,
Head, Throat, Chest, Eye and Ear Institute,
Will Visit Decatur,
8th & 9th of March,
Thursday and Friday,
—AT—
PRIEST'S HOTEL,
ROOM NO. 70.

I offer to the people of this city and county a positive cure for all diseases of the
Head, Throat, and Chest, embracing Catarrh, Throat Diseases, Loss of Voice, Asthma, Bronchitis, Consumption, Scrofula, Eye and Ear.

We adopt the most improved system of Inhalation and other appliances which bring the remedies into direct contact with the organs diseased. A single application gives immediate comfort, and relieves at once the most distressing and painful symptoms. A single application will convince the most skeptical that this is the true mode of treatment for all diseases of the Head, Throat and Lungs—Improvement is seen and felt from the first day of treatment in every case.
CATARRH of the Head and Throat permanently cured.
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VOICE restored, made clear and strong.
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TERMS:

Consultation and trial of remedies Free.

The remedies can be used at home or abroad with perfect facility.

The Doctor is permanently located at Bloomington, Ill., 110 North Center street. Persons can consult the Doctor in person or letter at all times—always at home except the days I am at Decatur. Testimonials from the first families in Bloomington given on application at my rooms at the Priest House. feb21-d&w2w

Administrator's Sale.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decree of the County Court of Macon county, Illinois, at the February Term, A. D. 1877, in a certain cause wherein Hamilton W. Fenton, administrator of estate of Jos. G. White, deceased, is petitioner, and Mary A. Fenton et al. are defendants, the undersigned will sell at public sale, at the premises described, on
Saturday, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1877,
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Lots 16, 17 and 18, in Block six, in Bandy's Addition to Decatur, in said county.
TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash on day of sale, one-third in six months, and one-third in twelve months, the purchaser to give note with approved personal security and mortgage on premises purchased to secure the deferred payments, notes to draw interest from date at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum.
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Feb. 16, 1877—d4w

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April 13, 1876-dwtf.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
Monday Evening, Feb 26.

Now here is a point: A party in Washington proposes to make a practical test of the question whether a man who resigns an office remains in till his resignation is accepted. He writes to a Washington paper that he was appointed mail agent in North Carolina in 1867. The next year he resigned and went home. He has never received an acceptance of his resignation or a discharge, and he announces his intention of presenting his claim for back pay to the house of representatives, through Mr. Tucker, of Virginia, whose argument in the case of the Michigan elector was conclusive that a person once in office is always in office till he gets his discharge or an acceptance of his resignation. Perhaps if it proves so hard to get out of office men will be a little more cautious about going in

GENERAL CORSE'S PLOT.

From the Chicago Post.

If we may believe the statement to the *Post* of a well known and trustworthy gentleman, whose relations with high government officials at Washington and the leader in the plot were such as to put him, though unintentionally, in possession of the secret, the Democrats in general, and General Corse in particular, had arranged for one of the most astounding *coups d' etat* of modern times. The good natured portion of the public has regarded the bombastic offer of the General to back the Electoral vote of Cronin with 100,000 men as one of the fattest streaks of political humor that has ever been exhibited. The absurd preposterousness of this tender of an army on paper captivated an appreciative multitude, and the General became, for the second time, a hero, but alas! a hero of the grotesque, so far as that matter was concerned. But he was deeper than that, was this strategist.—His Oregon detour was a mere feint, While the people laughed they were off their guard; and off their guard was what schemers wanted, in order to carry out their plot.

That plot was well matured, deep, and overwhelming if successful. It contemplated the introduction into Washington, by slow and unsuspected degrees, of a little army of veteran soldiers who believed in Tilden. This army was real, and numbered 3,000 men, carefully officered, and perfectly armed. On the morning of the fourth of March this army was to be massed, and then, by a sudden movement, was to seize the Government buildings, cut all the telegraph wires, prevent railroad communication, proclaim Tilden president, and open the way to a mob from Baltimore, which would complete the work of revolution. This would have left Mr. Tilden in position. He would have, been President *de facto*, with the little regular army scattered in patches over the entire country, with a cabinet ready made to continue, without delay, the operations of the Government, with resources of money and men ample for the emergency, and with a people utterly unable to concentrate immediately to defeat this most daring and extraordinary usurpation This, says our informant, was the pot, and it promised to be a success Every arrangement had been made The veterans had been selected, the officials of the new regime notified to be in readiness, and nothing remained save for the coming of the day, or night, which should give to the United States the sensation of a *coup d' etat* which only the Napoleons have rivaled in plan.

Unfortunately the conspirators were not Napoleons. A whisper of suspicion came to the ears of a patriot, and the suspicion, broadening into an alarm of danger, was conveyed to the president. Troops were summoned to Washington, and by the preparations for suppression, the game of Gen. Corse was blocked of easy winning.—People may now, for the first time, know why troops were summoned to Washington not long since; and learn the real reason for such concentration, the president's reply to an inquiry of congress as to the presence of all these troops, being that they were called to protect the treasury against covetous negroes, and to guard the city, a reply so simple that the people smiled again There was not much to smile about, the truth being disclosed. Perhaps it was a narrow escape from being Mexicanised; perhaps the plot may have failed from weaknesses, though it was carefully prepared against everything save treachery from within. Mr. Tilden is not yet president *de facto;* no thanks, however, to Gen. Corse. It will not do to say, in view of the belligerent, treasonable attitude of a large number of Northern Democrats, that the attempt may not yet be made to install Mr. Tilden by violence. It will be well to expect it, and to be vigilant to prevent the consummation of such an effort.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

WASHINGTON.

Saint Louis Republican's Special.

Inauguration to Take Place on Sunday.

Special to the St. Louis Republican.

WASHINGTON, Feb 24.—The political excitement has visibly increased rather than abated since last night, but to-day, as yesterday, it is noticeable that very little attention has been paid to the Oregon case, and the decision of the commission in that particular contest has been almost wholly ignored. Weightier matters have so entirely absorbed the public mind that the predetermined action in that case has scarcely made an impression. The war democrats, the irreconcilables, the extremists, as they are variously called, have succeeded in subordinating everything else to the one grand issue—shall the electoral count proceed or not? The whole future of the nation, and it, of necessity takes precedence of everything else, hinges upon this question. It was thrust upon the house at an early hour this morning, and in one form or another was constantly coming up during the whole day. In the caucus to night, although the filibusterers in a great measure gained the point for which they were struggling to-day, it was only in the end by the generosity of their opponents within their own party, for it was time and again demonstrated by the yea and nay vote that the extremists are a powerless minority of the house. None of the motions which were voted down were distinctly dilatory in character, since it is since it is quite possible to make a reasonable excuse for a recess until 10 o'clock Monday.

Of course if Lane's motion had been admitted, it would have required only one fifth of the house to carry on filibustering successfully. That number is all that is necessary, to call the yeas and nays, so that it would be entirely possible any day to occupy the whole time up to 10 o'clock the next day, by repeating the motions for a recess indefinitely and calling the yeas and nays each time. Randall ruled this contrary to the mandate of the constitution, and he could easily see that his decision would have been overruled upon appeal to the house if he had ruled otherwise. It now becomes necessary for the filibusterers to devise some other means of protracting the count, although it is believed to-night, that with an overwhelming majority against them, as there will be if dilatory motions are made next week, they will be powerless to impede the rapid progress of the count.

Besides the frequent struggles of the filibusters to obtain a recess until Monday, there was nothing of interest in the proceedings of the house to-day, except the speeches of John Young Brown, Hewitt, and Hoar. The eloquent representative from Kentucky, has preserved an almost unbroken silence since his long-to-be-remembered philippic against Ben Butler two years ago, and speaking so seldom he never fails to receive general attention when he departs from his usual custom. Hence the confusion and uproar, which had almost drowned the voices of the speakers who had preceded him, subsided when he took the floor. Not once was the stillness broken by a voice or murmur, although when in the midst of his terrible arraignment of the republican party for their oppression of the people of South Carolina and Louisiana he uttered the warning, "You must call off your dogs," Martin I. Townsend, of New York, one of the most bitter partisans on the republican side, whistled in a derisive manner, as if he were then calling off the dogs. The interruption did not break the spell however, and until the end the republicans listened mutely.

So far as Hewitt's long heralded speech is concerned, it must be said that it was a great disappointment to those who thought he would establish the bad faith of Hoar and other republicans who were members of the committee who framed the electoral bill He had prepared a long address, and very imperfectly succeeded in condensing its points into his short ten minutes' speech, he signally failing to prove anything more than that he had been outwitted by his more ingenious republican associates, besides giving Hoar an opportunity to prove conclusively that it was understood by the democratic members of the committee, and was plainly stated to the house, that the grand question, whether congress could go behind the returns of the canvassing boards of states to inquire into errors of frauds, was to be referred to the commission for decision. They may have made a wrong decision but it is childish for the Democrats to say that they had no power to decide as they have.

Of the motion for a recess after the separation upon the objections made to the alleged ineligible elector in Pennsylvania was secured by desperate appeals to Democrats who had opposed filibustering all day, but having emphatically rebuked it several times were generous enough to make an insignificant concession to the extremists by way of balm for their injured feelings. It only makes a difference of an hour or two in the time at which the South Carolina returns are sent to the commission on Monday and so the matter was not of enough importance to quarrel about.

There were but eighty-four members present at the caucus of Democrats to-night, and of this number there were not more than ten of those who oppose filibustering proceedings. For this reason the caucus did not remain in session very long, and but little was said regarding filibustering. Randall and Lane made personal explanations about the controversy between themselves in the house to day, in which others present joined and helped make a reconciliation.

In the discussion to-night in the caucus the ultra filibusterers declared that those who had staid away to miss being committed by a caucus would not be relieved, as the resolution of yesterday's caucus meant that they either had to abide by the caucus or go into Republican ranks.

The successful bolt from the party caucus has not, as a matter of course, tended to repair the breach in the Democratic ranks. Many of those who voted against the recess motions to day were not present at the caucus yesterday at all and others left before it adjourned. These did not feel bound by its fiat, while there were some who participated in its proceedings throughout and boldly voted against its instructions.

It can be well understood that these circumstances have greatly strengthened the impression that there is serious danger of the dissolution of the party. There is much and earnest discussion of the whole question of party reorganization to which reference was made last night, but at the same time the subject is invariably approached with an embarrassment which indicates that no one is quite prepared yet to say what part he will play in the anticipated transformation scene. Whilst it is not possible to get Democrats to concede the rupture of their party ties, it is impossible to conceal the fact that there is almost a universal consciousness that there is serious danger of such an event. From this consciousness grows the striking lack of responsibility to which reference was made last night as so generally manifest.—The great majority of Democratic members appear to be governed solely by what they consider their own individual advantage, and are absolutely indifferent as to what the effect may be on the party. Mr. Speaker Randall and several of the other prominent leaders of the extremists are apparently struggling wholly to impede the ordinary legislative business so as to prevent the passage of the appropriation bills, and thus secure an early session of the next congress. This, indeed, is about all there is in the filibustering now, for it seemed to be admitted to-night that it will be almost impossible to prevent the completion of the count, although there are still mysterious rumors about Randall's having some strategy in reserve that will accomplish the purpose. But the defeat of the appropriation bills can easily be accomplished, and as an excuse for that Randall says that the early session of the house will prevent Hayes buying up enough Southern members to control the organization. Randall's personal anxiety on this point arises from his belief that he will stand a much better chance of election if the house organized this spring than he would next fall, even if the Democrats organize it in December. Some Democrats follow his lead because of promises that he will remember them in his appointments. But after Randall and David Dudley Field the Ohio Democrats are the main fomenters of the discord. They have got an idea that if Hayes comes in there will be no show for the Democracy in Ohio, and they are willing to do anything to keep Hayes out, no matter what the damage may be to the national party. On the other hand a great part of the opposition to the obstructionists is made up of the Southern Democrats, who, despite the denial of John Young Brown to-day are keeping open ears to the tempting promises which Hayes' friends are making for him.

It is no doubt true that no bargains have yet been made, but the foundation has been laid for them, and to my personal knowledge negotiations have been and now are in progress between Southern Democrats and Republicans assuming and apparently fully authorized to represent Gov. Hayes. The filibustering Democrats are well aware of this, and it don't tend much to cement the Democratic party. And again on the other hand the extreme wing of the Republican party are also well aware of what is going on, and many Northern Republicans as well as the Southern carpet-baggers, who would be left out in the cold by this policy, openly condemn and denounce it. They will not admit yet that the Republicans who are conducting the negotiations with Southern Democrats have any influence with Hayes, and indignantly deny that any such policy will be pursued by the new administration. They say they will not submit to it, and that it will split the Republican party if it is attempted. So it can be seen that, lively as things are now, they are likely to grow much livelier during the coming week. Hewitt says that on Monday he will reply to Hoar and will produce memoranda of the former used in the committee, which will clearly give the lie to what Hoar said to-day.

The point, Mr. Hewitt says, he wanted to make against Hoar was not that it was understood by the Democrats that the bill conferred the power to go behind the returns, but that Hoar said he thought the commission would have that power and he would so contend.

Republicans say, if the appropriation bills fail Hayes will call a special session of the Forty-fifth Congress, in the fore part of May.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—There has been a feverish feeling in all public places here to-day, in the discussion of the possible events of the present week. The course of the democrats in caucus last night, in agreeing to introduce a bill for a new election, and one for a *quo warranto* case for Tilden, has created a strong impression that they do not intend to let the presidential result be declared until the latter bill has been passed by the senate. The republicans have had several conferences since yesterday, and have made preparations for the contingency which the filibusters have threatened. If there is no election by Friday night, the president of the senate will invite the house to the senate chamber. The president of the senate will then open the remaining certificates, as he is required to do by the electoral law, and declare the result. Since this policy has been determined upon the reactionists do not talk so aggressively. Dispatches received here by members state that the action of the house yesterday in objecting to the vote of Pennsylvania has created a profound impression in the north, and in New York it is intended to call a public indignation meeting on Tuesday if the filibustering continues. These dispatches represent that everybody seems to be apprehensive of trouble, and, in some instances both democrats and republicans have replied that there need be no fear; that by Wednesday at farthest, the joint convention will close its session and declare the result. The leading democratic Sunday paper here came out to-day, advising against the filibustering programme, but at the same time it contains a column of protest against the proposed nomination of Tilden in 1880.

It boldly declares that the nomination of Mr. Tilden was obtained by disreputable means and that he sought the office by the use of agencies of which wealthy and unscrupulous politicians are familiar. Per contra, the *Daily Union*, of which Montgomery Blair is editor, will come out to-morrow in flaming double leads, advising the democrats to filibuster till a count is prevented. It has heretofore opposed this course and its change will increase the strength of the reactionists, but democratic leaders say it will not win.

Speaker Randall has had a conversation with Senator Bayard on the subject. Mr. Bayard told him that if every other member of the Democratic party, in both Houses, should consent to such action as would prevent the completion of the count, it would not cause him to depart from what he believed to be his duty, as he considered it, was to stand fairly and honorably by the provisions of the Electoral bill. A canvass of the Democratic side of the Senate shows that, at the outside, there are not half a dozen senators of that faith who favor anything that looks like filibustering. A Northern Democratic Senator, in conversation with your correspondent to-day, said that he did not favor dilatory proceedings, and more particularly would he oppose any such scheme as a new election, as proposed by the bill suggested by certain members of the House. He said that this would never do, but if the House was determined that Hayes should not be counted in, let it take the bull by the horns, declare the action of the commission illegal, and exercise its constitutional power by proceeding to elect Tilden — He said that the whole trouble, through the long suspense, beginning with the meeting of congress, was that the Democratic party had no policy, but were waiting in vain for Mr. Tilden to shape one for them.

Senator Sherman, who returned yesterday from his visit to Gov Hayes, says that the president-elect will probably arrive in Washington Friday — Notwithstanding all gossip over the composition of his cabinet, he states that he has not intimated to any one what he will do. It is the Ohio Senator's impression that for the present the cabinet of President Grant will be continued, until the present excitement dies out.

The city is crowded with people to witness the inauguration, but it is doubted if there is much public ceremonial for the want of time. The president-elect will, it is now understood, take the oath of office at the Executive Mansion at noon, on Sunday next, in the presence of Grant and his Cabinet, and the Chief Justice who administers it. If a decision is reached in time an ioaugural ball will probably be held in the rotunda of the Capitol.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Special Agent Stuart, of the postoffie department, who has been in this city for several days, looking into the accounts of the Chicago Postoffice, has discovered that Gen. McArthur, the postmaster, is a defaulter to the amount of $32,000. The fact was ascertained yesterday, when General McArthur telegraphed his resignation to the postmaster general, at Washington, and then went into voluntary bankruptcy. It is believed that his bondsmen are also bankrupt. Special Agent Stuart will take charge of the office until McArthur's successor is appointed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—A special to the *Times* from Raleigh, N. C., says: The *News* of this city, the accredited organ of Gov. Vance and the Democratic party, speaking of the decision of the Electoral Commission on Oregon making Hayes the next president says: The South will not suffer under Hayes' administration. There is every assurance that he will be both liberal and just to our section.

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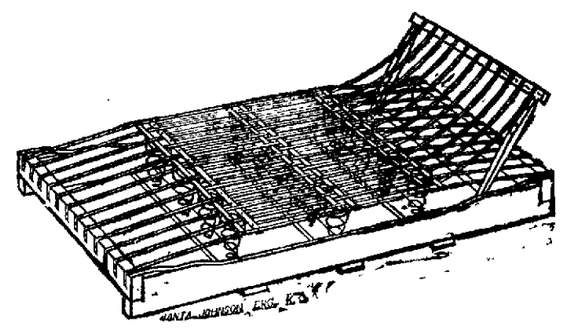

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THE BETTER WAY.

The Kansas City Adjustable Spring Bed is used in Decatur by Gen. J. H. Moore, Dr. W. H. Mitchell, C. A. Carter, and others. Mr. Carter says:

I have tried a great many spring beds; this one gives me more comfort in my sickness than any spring bed I ever used. I have been sick between two and three years; during that time I have used other spring beds, and thought I could gain some case. The Kansas City Adjustable Spring Bed Bottom gives more comfort; it is perfectly well adapted to all classes—the sick and the well. I would recommend the Spring Bed above all others, and that every family should at least have one of them. In case of sickness, the head-rest is well adapted to the sick, as you can raise or lower the patient's head to any position desired.

The Kansas City Adjustable Spring Bed is manufactured by the undersigned, on NORTH BROADWAY, opposite Loeb's Foundry. Orders filled promptly.

PEEPLES & REEDS.
Decatur, Ill., Feb. 23, 1877—d&wtf

WHITE SOAP
For the Laundry or Toilet is EQUAL to White Castile Soap, for it is made of PURE VEGETABLE OILS, and by the same process, which retains all the natural healing qualities of the oils. It costs NO MUCH LESS than the imported article that it is rapidly coming into general household use The use of COLORED Soaps is condemned by Physicians as liable to produce skin diseases The PURITY of the White Soap renders its use perfectly harmless. Made only by PROCTER & GAMBLE, Cincinnati. Sold by all wholesale and retail grocers.

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS
Monday Evening, Feb. 26.

ICE! ICE!!

I have begun to deliver ice, and will supply all who leave their orders at Keeler's Hat Store.

My ice is the best ever put up in Decatur, and will be supplied at very low rates. D. A. MAFFIT.

Jan 30, 1876-d2m

TAXES! TAXES!

As the time for Collection of taxes is limited, they MUST BE PAID by March 1st, to save *the additional cost's*

Office in city building, with the City Register

W. W. FOSTER, Collector.

Feb 26 d1w

CITY DEPARTMENT

Choice peachblow potatoes at Newlin & Hammer's, with a full supply of vegetables

Order Harvey Downing's hack for a trip to the depot; he will get you there on time.

A full line of Wall-Paper, at Bishop & Stoy's feb23-dtf

"Do you reside in this city?" asked a masked man of a masked lady at a masquerade party. He felt sick when she said to him in a low voice, "Don't be a fool, I know you by those finger nails." It was his wife.

For B. F Taylor's hack leave orders at Armstrong's drug store.

We are happy to learn that Judge Gallagher is able to be on the street again after an illness of several days.

The beautiful designs of wall-paper at Abel & Locke's are attracting much attention.

An exchange gives notice that it will announce candidates for office at $3 per head, and suggests that they will charge more than that to insure an election.

A full supply of choice sugar-cured ham and breakfast bacon at Niedermyer's, near the mound.

Complete stock of Queensware, cheaper than ever, at BISHOP & STOY'S. Feb. 23—dtf

To his large stock of tin and hardware, stoves, farming utensils and carpenters' tools, R. C. Crocker has added a supply of blue glass, and is now ready to replenish all orders in that line. This new invention, for the cure of chronic complaints, is backed by a vast amount of testimony from people who have been the recipients of its recuperative influence, and it can certainly do no harm to try it.

Watches, clocks, and all varieties of jewelry, together with silver and plated ware, at H. Post's.

A full supply of pure drugs at Armstrong's, put in the form of prescriptions, or in bulk.

Last week a bill was introduced in the legislature of this state requiring parties proposing to marry to publish their intention in the church of which they are members, and an exchange remarks that the passage of such a law would have a tendency to increase the number of church goers.

Call on Abel & Locke if you want to buy a nice carpet for a low figure.

An exchange says that some people make a great mistake about heaven.—They think it begins up yonder, but it really begins down here. If you can be happy in the basement story, you are fitted to enjoy the happiness of the upper stories; but if you whine and mourn here, heaven itself can't change your mood. The suggestion is a good one for whining, ill-tempered people to think about.

Such men as Bismarck and John Bright, each in his respective way, have gained their greatness largely by rugged directness and truth as distinguished from devious and diplomatic ways. So we may argue of the soap manufacturer, B. J. Babbitt. And we know when he states that his new Toilet Soap is the best in the world, it may be accepted literally as the truth. Skeptics can be converted by a very small investment, and add thereby a new pleasure to the toilet.

Masonic.—There will be a regular meeting of Masonic Lodge, No. 312, F. & A. M., this evening at 7 o'clock.—Members of Macon Lodge and visiting brethren are cordially invited

J. N. BAKER, W. M

And still they come. This time it is V. H. Park whose home is made happy by the presence of a daughter.

MARRIED

On Sunday evening, Feb. 25, at the residence of the bride's father, No. 17, West Wood street, by Rev. J. H. Hutton, of Atlanta, MR. JESSE E. BENDURE and MISS MELISSA ADAMS, daughter of B. N. Adams.

The bridegroom is at his store to day, attending to his business as usual, just as though nothing extraordinary had happened. We extend our congratulations to the happy couple.

New Goods.—W. H. Linn, of the firm of Linn & Scruggs, is on his way to New York city, and the public may soon expect a fresh stock of new goods and carpets.

No Candidate.—Daniel W. Brennaman desires us to state that he will not be a candidate for alderman in the first ward.

Patents procured by L. P. Graham, at 32 West Wood street. [july 31 d1y

A Large Lot of new prints, at 6¼ cents, at Linn & Scruggs'.

Dec 12 d&wtf

HISTORY OF MACON COUNTY FROM ITS ORGANIZATION TO 1876.

By John W Smith, Esq, of the Macon County Bar.

From a perusal of the advance sheets of this work we are enabled to form an opinion as to its merits.

The compilation of a history, to the inexperienced writer, is a work attended with many difficulties, and, strange as it may seem, the difficulties appear to be greater in proportion to the smallness of the territory whose history is to be written. The story of a nation's life affords a variety of subjects and a breadth of scope which are entirely wanting in the history of a neighborhood, and the man who essays to write the annals of a single locality finds himself, therefore, without the material which comes readymade to the hand of a Bancroft or a Motley. The book before us was prepared under such disadvantages as these, and the author states in his preface some of the difficulties under which he has labored, in having to depend upon the faulty recollection of individuals now becoming aged and infirm, for the data upon which to prepare his history. Without the aid of public records, without any *written* preservation of facts relating to incidents of great interest in the early settlement of the county, the author has, nevertheless, given to the public an exceedingly readable book, and one which will preserve for the future the story of the pioneers of this now populous portion of Illinois.

The work opens with a fine poem by Mrs. M. L. Cam, entitled "Memorial Lines," in which the gifted writer pays a handsome tribute to the hardy men and self-sacrificing women who laid the foundations of our present prosperity and civilization. Then follows a brief sketch of the Indians of Illinois; its discovery, settlement, government, etc. The second chapter relates to the settlement of Macon county, its organization and boundaries, the location of Decatur, together with amusing and instructive incidents relating to the trials of the early pioneers. In this chapter the author describes the "ager"—that terrible scourge of the then frontier—with a vividness and correctness which will be appreciated by all who have "been there." The third chapter relates exclusively to the officers of the county, from its organization up to 1876, giving the names of the various incumbents, with a brief sketch of each. Another chapter is devoted to the military history of the county, giving the names of the volunteers who went from Macon county to the Black Hawk War, the Mexican War, and the late war. Chapter 5 is devoted to incidents connected with the early history of the county—among them "the deep snow"—together with a graphic description of the manners and customs of the early settlers, their modes of amusement, etc. The various church organizations of the county have a chapter devoted to them, while another is devoted to our industrial interests, and another to the educational history of the county. Another gives sketches of the several towns in the county, with the names of their respective officers. The last chapter is given up to biographical sketches of settlers who came here prior to 1836, and their children, among which we find the names of hundreds living in the county to-day, while the roster also contains the names of scores who have "gone over to join the majority." Prominent among the sketches is that of the late Judge Emerson (the law partner of the author) to whom a most appropriate and truthful tribute is paid. Other prominent men and women come in for a share of attention in this chapter.

We cannot close this hasty review of Mr Smith's book without congratulating him upon his success in weaving into history the common incidents of a time that had in it but little of the stuff out of which written narratives are made, and the people of Macon county are also to be congratulated because of their good fortune in having their local history prepared with such a degree of accuracy and good taste as the author—himself a native of the county—has displayed.

The book will be ready for delivery to subscribers next Monday.

California Wine Bitters, at W. C Armstrong's

No quorum of the council on Saturday night.

Frank Mayo as "Davy Crockett," on Wednesday evening.

John Thompson will be "on hand" at the opera house to-morrow night. Go and see him.

An Entire New Stock of Spring Clothing, comprising all the novelties of the season, at bottom figures, just received at B. STINE'S, Feb 26 d10d the Clothier.

German Class.—Miss Anna Holt will give lessons in German, in the room over Keeler's hat store, (formerly Esq. Hughes' office.) For particulars enquire at Hand's book store.

Feb. 15—d1mo

Great Bargains in Jewelry at J. L. Knieper's, 24 Merchant street. Feb. 7-d&wtf.

Held to Bail.—On Saturday after noon Theodore Smith, who was arrested on Friday night for burglarizing Kindey's warehouse, was brought before Justice Hughes, where, upon the hearing of his case, he was held to bail in the sum of five hundred dollars, in default of which he was committed to the county jail.

DEDICATION OF JANES' CHAPEL

Already there have appeared in these columns notices of the church recently fitted up on West Main street, indicating somewhat the nature of the enterprise What was known as the West Mission Chapel, was built on Decatur street, by contributions made principally by members of the 1st M. E church about five years ago; since which time it has been occupied for Sunday school purposes constantly, with occasional preaching At the time of the erection of the building a class was organized, comprising members of the 1st church living in that vicinity. Most of the time the school has been in a prosperous condition, and has been the means of doing much good, by gathering under its influence the children of that neighborhood, many of whom would otherwise have been without religious instruction. It has been thought for sometime that the location of the chapel was not the best that could be selected, and the question of moving it has been under consideration for the past year or two.

Sometime during last year it was determined to organize a board of trustees and a society, who should be supplied with a preacher, and hold regular service. In pursuance of this purpose, at the last session of the Illinois Conference Rev. J. R Locke was appointed to the West Mission charge, Decatur. Mr. L. at once entered upon his duties as pastor, and the matter of moving the chapel was among the first things to which he directed his attention. A pleasant site on West Main street was selected and bought for $500. To this location the chapel was removed, and there enlarged by the addition of a vestibule, which is surmounted by a well proportioned tower, which greatly improves the appearance of the structure. A fine-toned bell, weighing 750 pounds, was also purchased and placed in the tower. The floor of the audience room has been newly carpeted, the inside of the building nicely painted, and the walls frescoed. The building thus improved and furnished, was by unanimous vote of the trustees called Janes Chapel, in honor of the late lamented Bishop Janes. Yesterday was the day fixed upon for dedication and, as previously stated, the services of Bishop Bowman were secured for that purpose. In accordance with this arrangement at the hour for morning service the chapel was crowded to its full capacity by those wishing to participate in the services of the occasion. The exercises were opened by a voluntary from a select choir under the direction of Mr. C. B. Prescott, Mr. George F. Wessels presiding at the organ. An appropriate hymn was then given out by the Bishop, which was sung by the congregation led by the choir. Prayer was then offered by Rev. Dr. Leaton, and the scriptures were read by Rev. J. H. Moore. After the singing of another piece by the choir Bishop Bowman announced as his text the words in the second chapter of Haggai, ninth verse: "The glory of this latter house shall be greater than of the former." After explaining that these words referred to the two Jewish temples, the first being built by Solomon and the second by Zerubbabel, the speaker went on to show in what respects the glory of the latter house exceeded that of the former, which he did in a most eloquent and touching manner.

The discourse, which occupied about an hour in its delivery, was one of the most interesting and impressive it has ever been our privilege to hear No mere synopsis of it can convey any idea of its beauty and impressiveness.

At the conclusion of the discourse a statement was made by the Bishop of the amount of indebtedness upon the church incurred by the purchase of the lot, the removal and the improvements, which aggregated about $1,700. The audience was then asked to contribute toward the liquidation of this amount, to which call there was a liberal response.

In the evening an interesting discourse was preached by Rev. Mr. Best of Stapp's Chapel, at the conclusion of which the Bishop made an interesting talk and renewed the appeal for funds to wipe out the indebtedness upon the society. Again there was a generous response, and an amount was raised sufficient to make, with that pledged in the morning, something over a thousand dollars, so that the debt on the building itself was entirely provided for.

Much credit is due Rev. Mr. Locke for the energy and perseverance he has displayed in carrying forward the enterprise, and we congratulate him and the society upon its satisfactory completion, and those who have interested themselves to aid the work and have contributed to it have the hearty thanks of the pastor and congregation.

Great Cry About Raising Prices in Domestics.—S. Einstein informs his customers and friends that he has made no advance in his prices on Domestics, or any other goods in his line, and will for the next thirty days sell everything at cost. Give him a call at No. 21 North Water street, and see his prices.

Paper Curtains.—Three for 25 cents, Bishop & Stoy's. feb23-dtf

Best Brooms in the market for 30 cts. a piece, at BISHOP & STOY'S.

New Goods.—Just received a handsome lot of Spring Goods, which I shall sell very cheap. THEO. A. GERRMANN.

Feb. 22-d1w

For Rent—A house with four rooms, located on South Water street. Apply to R. N. Ham. [Feb 16, dtf

Wanted, a girl to do housework.—Appiy at this office jan4-dtf

THE CHURCHES YESTERDAY.

Though not as some previous Sabbaths of the present winter, yesterday was by no means an uncomfortable day, and the churches were well attended

FIRST M E CHURCH

At the First M. E. Church there was no service in the morning. In the evening the pastor, Rev. Dr. Leaton, preached a very interesting discourse on "Moral Cowardice," or lack of moral courage, which was listened to with the most earnest attention by a large audience.

At the

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

there was a fair attendance, and Rev. Mr. Marvin maintained his reputation as an able preacher by delivering two highly interesting and instructive sermons.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services were held at this church, both morning and evening. In the morning the pastor chose for his text these words, "Therefore to him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin."—Epistle General of James, 4th chap., 17th verse. In the evening from Paul's Epistle to the Romans, 6th chapter, 17th verse; he preached an earnest and convincing sermon, which held the undivided attention of the audience throughout

An adjourned meeting of this church was announced for Monday evening.

U. B. CHURCH.

At the U. B. Church regular quarterly meeting services were held, on which occasion Rev. Mr. Morrison occupied the pulpit in place of the Presiding Elder, Rev. Mr. Rinehart. The services were of a very interesting character, in the morning one person being received to membership in the church, and in the evening two others. At the conclusion of the evening discourse, the sacrament of the Lord's supper was administered.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The pastor occupied the pulpit yesterday morning at the usual hours. In the morning he preached a very plain and practical discourse on the subject, "God is no respecter of persons." It abounded in rich lessons, which, if heeded by all of us today, the world would be in a much better and more pleasant condition. In the evening he delivered a discourse showing 'How men are converted,' based upon the scripture "The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul." The speaker showed by practical illustrations and conclusive arguments that "the law of the Lord" is the converting power. Both discourses were well recrived by quite large and attentive audiences.

There will be preaching at this church on Wednesday evening next, at which time the institution of Baptism will be attended to. The public is very cordially invited.

Oysters, in every style, at Jan. 3-dtf MILLER'S Restaurant.

Is your eyesight failing?—Try the Reading Glasses for sale by Pike, the Jeweler. feb 7 dtf

Everybody Goes to MILLER'S Restaurant. jan3-dtf

R. C. CROCKER,
NO. 9,
WATER STREET,
has a choice and well selected stock of
HARDWARE
COOK STOVES,
TINWARE,
NAILS,
GLASS,
GARDEN TOOLS,
—AND—
Blue Glass
And numerous other articles in his line
CHEAP FOR CASH.
Feb. 27, 1877—dawtf.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Ole Johnson vs. Anna Shepherd and Edward Dodwell—Foreclosure.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1876, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, I

On Monday, the 19th day of March, A. D. 1877,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. three (3), in block No. one (1), in Berry H. Cassell's third addition to the city of Decatur, Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging.—Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. JOHN A. BROWN,

Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 26, 1877—d3w

SAD ACCIDENT.

Violent Death of a Prominent Citizen.

An accident occurred this morning at Long Creek Station, on the I., D. & S Railroad, which resulted in the death of J. Benson Myers, one of the best-known citizens of the county. It seems that the morning train going east, which reaches Long Creek about 7:15, had some loaded cars to take on at the station, and Mr. Myers, who was the agent, was assisting in the work of switching. Two empty box cars had been drawn out on the main track in order to get at the loaded ones, and when the engineer was about to shove these back on the side-track, Mr. Myers climbed up on one of them to attend to the brake. The roof of the car was covered with frost, and when the engine came up the jar threw Mr. Myers from his feet and he fell to the ground, just in the fork between the main and side tracks. The engineer saw him fall, and stopping his engine, jumped off and ran to see if he was hurt, but the unfortunate man was already dead—his neck having probably been broken by the fall. There were but few marks of injury on the body, the most noticeable being a bruise on the face and another on the back of the head. An inquest will be held this afternoon.

The deceased was about 42 years of age, and leaves a wife and seven children. He was an upright, honest man, an enterprising citizen, a conscientious christian, a good neighbor and a kind husband and father. He represented Long Creek township in the Board of Supervisors one or more years, and brought to the discharge of his duties in that regard a degree of intelligence and public spirit which made him a very efficient member of the board. In his death the county loses a valuable citizen.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday forenoon, at Long Creek M. E. Church.

Choice New York Apples, at Feb. 21—d1w BIXBY & PATTERSON'S.

New Furniture, cheaper than dirt, at BISHOP & STOY'S. feb23-dtf

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

SUPERVISOR.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. TYLER as a candidate for Supervisor at the April election.

ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR.

We are authorized to announce A. A. MURRAY as a candidate for Assistant Supervisor.

ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES H. FULLER as a candidate for Assessor at the coming township election.

We are authorized to announce C. A. MASTERSON, (better known as Kit Carson the blacksmith), as a candidate for ASSESSOR.

WILLIAM J USERY will be a candidate for Assessor, at the ensuing township election.

CONSTABLE.

We are authorized to announce ALFRED DENNIS as a canidate for Constable.

We are authorized to announce B. F. TAYLOR as a candidate for Constable.

We are authorized to announce the name of PERRY CALVIN as a candidate for Constable.

We are authorized to announce HENRY CHURCHMAN for re-election to the office of Constable.

We are authorized to announce COL. D J. BLOCK as a candidate for Constable.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS F. CHEATHAM as a candidate for Constable.

We are authorized to announce J. WILLIAM CARTER for re-election to the office of Constable.

We are authorized to announce H. C. STULTZ as a candidate for Constable at the approaching township election.

J. H. MAUZY is a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable.

We are authorized to announce SAMUEL WEITZEL as a candidate for Constable at the coming township election.

MARSHAL.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. HAWORTH as a candidate for City Marshal.

We are authorized to announce J. B WINEBRENNER as a candidate for Marshal, at the ensuing city election.

We are authorized to announce NORMAN PRINGLE as a candidate for City Marshal, at the ensuing city election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN A. BROCKWAY as a candidate for City Marshal, at the ensuing city election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. PARK as a candidate for City Marshal.

We are authorized to announce the name of HORACE DAVENPORT as a candidate for City Marshal, at the ensuing city election.

ALDERMEN.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE S. SIMPSON as a candidate for Alderman in the Third Ward.

W. W. SWEARINGEN is a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

We are authorized to announce H. B DURFEE as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward.

SAMUEL B. CHISEBY will be a candidate for Alderman in the Third Ward.

We are requested to announce L L HAWORTH as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward.

We are authorized to announce I. D. WALKER as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. S. NICHOLS, as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Please announce W. H. BRAMBLE as a candidate for Alderman in the Third Ward.

MANY VOTERS.

We are authorized to announce J. G. SHEA as a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

We are authorized to announce FRED. KUNY as a candidate for Alderman in the Fourth Ward.

We are authorized to announce J. T. BARNETT as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward

We are authorized to announce H. T. HOUCK as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward.

MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce E. MCNABB as a candidate for Mayor.

We are authorized to announce WM. B. CHAMBERS as a candidate for re election to the office of Mayor.

CITY ENGINEER.

SULLIVAN BURGESS announces himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Engineer and Surveyor at the ensuing election.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

DR. IRA B. CURTIS is a candidate for Justice of the Peace at the coming township election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN N. FULLER as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS B. ALBERT as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce JOSHUA BAKER as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce EDWARD HUGHES as a candidate for re-election as Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce L. F. MUZZY as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. W. PALMER as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, at the approaching township election.

TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce M. K. HATCH as a candidate for City Treasurer at the ensuing municipal election.

Clearance Sale!

As we wish to reduce our Stock by the 1st of February, 1877, we will give EXTRAORDINARY INDUCEMENTS to those wishing to purchase

CARPETS,
Dress Goods,
Cloaks,
Shawls,
Furs,
FLANNELS AND BLANKETS.

Best Hartford and Lowell Ingrain Carpets, at $1.00.
Best Philadelphia Ingrains, at 90c.
Five frame Body Brussels, at $1.75; worth $2.25.
Tapestry Brussels, at $1.00; worth $1.40.
9-4, 10-4 and 12-4 Druggets 20 per cent. below the manufacturer's prices. Hemp Carpets, 12½ cents.
We respectfully solicit an examination of these Goods and prices.
LINN & SCRUGGS.
Decatur, Ill., Jan. 6, 1877—d&wtf

BARGAINS!

Don't Buy a pair of
BOOTS NOR SHOES,
Until you see the
SPECIAL BARGAINS
Offered by
L. L. FERRISS,
COMMENCING JANUARY 15th, 1877.
Jan. 15, 1877—d&wtf

J. H. LEWIS & CO.

Lamp Explosions
UNNECESSARY
IF YOU USE THE
DIAMOND ILLUMINATOR OIL!

The Diamond Oil will not give off an inflamable vapor under about 150 deg. and will not take fire under 175 deg., a degree of heat never given to Oil in the lamp. Hence it is absolutely SAFE. If the lamp is broken, or knocked over, and spills out the Oil, the Oil puts out the flame of the wick. There never rises from it, in the lamp, an explosive vapor. Common Standard Kerosene ignites at 110 deg., but gives off an explosive vapor at 85 to 100 deg., and much is sold, where there are no inspection laws, of a still lower and more dangerous fire test.

The **Diamond Illuminator** is also **Double Refined** and **White as Water.** It does not smoke the chimney, nor give off an odor while burning, even when the wick is turned down, or standing in the lamp. It will, also, burn longer and brighter, but its **Safety** and **Higher Refinement** are the qualities urged.

Every barrel bears the official inspection of the State Inspector, and the FIRE TEST guaranteed.

Attention is called to the
CRYSTAL ILLUMINATOR,
A New Attachment for Lamps, which does away with the use of Chimnies and increases the quality and quantity of light.
J. H. LEWIS & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Queensware, China, Glassware, Etc.
Decatur. Feb. 21, 1877—dtf

Good Advice.

Now is the time of year for Pneumonia, Lung Fever, etc. Every family should have a bottle of BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP. Don't allow for one moment *that* cough to take hold of your child, your family or yourself. Consumption, Asthma, Pneumonia, Croup, Hemorrhages, and other fatal diseases may set in. Although it is true GERMAN SYRUP is curing thousands of these dreaded diseases, yet it is much better to have it at hand when three doses will cure you. One bottle will last your whole family a winter and keep you safe from danger. If you are consumptive, do not rest until you have tried this remedy. Sample bottles 10 cents. Regular size 75 cents. Sold by your druggists, A. J. Stoner, B. F. Gue & Son and Theo. Hildebrandt.

Nov. 15, 1876—d&wly 2

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

Cashmere, Merrimac, Pacific, and Dunell's new Spring Calicos, 12 yards for $1.00, at THEO. A. GERRMANN'S. Feb. 22-d1w

Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of John Monroe and Theodore M. Morris, of Bradley Champaign county, Ill., in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on creditors petition. ISAAC W. EHRMAN

Feb. 21, 1877—d3w Assignee, &c.

IN BANKRUPTCY—NO. 1869.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1877, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of George W. Powell, of Fairmount, in the county of Vermilion and State of Illinois, who has been duly adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Decatur, in the county of Macon, before James C Lake, Register, on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1877, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

E. R. ROE,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger, Southern District Illinois.
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The Daily Republican.

REDEMPTION NOTICES.

To W H Haven or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois on the 2d day of June A D 1875 the taxes for the year 1874 I purchased the following described lots to wit Lots 1 2 and 3 block 1 Western Addition to Decatur and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 2d day of June A D 187

Feb 10 d3w M P MURPHEY

To Jos Stuchaugh or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois on the 2d day of June A D 1875 for the taxes for the year 1874 I purchased the following described lots to wit Lots 1 and 2 block 1 Hall's Addition to Decatur and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 2d day of June A D 187

M P MURPHEY Assignee

Feb 12 d w

T W Gosler or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois on the 2d day of June A D 1875 for the taxes for the year 1874 I purchased the following described lots to wit Lots 5 and 6 block 1 Hall's Addition to Decatur and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 2d day of June A D 187

M P MURPHEY

Feb 10 d3w

To Wm Freeman or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that a sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois on the 2d day of June A D 1875 for the taxes for the year 1874 I purchased the following described lots to wit Lots 1 2 6 and 7 block 1 Rest & Cox's Addition to Decatur and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 2d day of June A D 187

Feb 10 d3w M P MURPHEY

I H Nichols or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois on the 2d day of June A D 1875 for the taxes for the year 1874 I purchased the following described lots to wit Lots 1 14 15 17 and 19 block 1 Wm Beggs Addition to Decatur and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 2d day of June A D 187

Feb 10 d3w M P MURPHEY

To John Beggs or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois on the 2d day of June A D 1875 for the taxes for the year 1874 I purchased the following described lots to wit Lots 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100 101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108 109 110 111 112 113 114 115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122 123 124 125 126 127 128 129 130 131 132 133 134 135 136 137 138 139 140 141 142 143 144 145 146 147 148 149 150 151 152 153 154 155 156 157 158 159 160 161 162 163 164 165 166 167 168 169 170 171 172 173 174 175 176 177 178 179 180 181 182 183 184 185 186 187 188 189 190 191 192 193 194 195 196 197 198 199 200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207 208 209 210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217 218 219 220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227 228 229 230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237 238 239 240 241 242 243 244 245 246 247 248 249 250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257 258 259 260 261 262 263 264 265 266 267 268 269 270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277 278 279 280 281 282 283 284 285 286 287 288 289 290 291 292 293 294 295 296 297 298 299 300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307 308 309 310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317 318 319 320 321 322 323 324 325 326 327 328 329 330 331 332 333 334 335 336 337 338 339 340 341 342 343 344 345 346 347 348 349 350 351 352 353 354 355 356 357 358 359 360 361 362 363 364 365 366 367 368 369 370 371 372 373 374 375 376 377 378 379 380 381 382 383 384 385 386 387 388 389 390 391 392 393 394 395 396 397 398 399 400 401 402 403 404 405 406 407 408 409 410 411 412 413 414 415 416 417 418 419 420 421 422 423 424 425 426 427 428 429 430 431 432 433 434 435 436 437 438 439 440 441 442 443 444 445 446 447 448 449 450 451 452 453 454 455 456 457 458 459 460 461 462 463 464 465 466 467 468 469 470 471 472 473 474 475 476 477 478 479 480 481 482 483 484 485 486 487 488 489 490 491 492 493 494 495 496 497 498 499 500 501 502 503 504 505 506 507 508 509 510 511 512 513 514 515 516 517 518 519 520 521 522 523 524 525 526 527 528 529 530 531 532 533 534 535 536 537 538 539 540 541 542 543 544 545 546 547 548 549 550 551 552 553 554 555 556 557 558 559 560 561 562 563 564 565 566 567 568 569 570 571 572 573 574 575 576 577 578 579 580 581 582 583 584 585 586 587 588 589 590 591 592 593 594 595 596 597 598 599 600 601 602 603 604 605 606 607 608 609 610 611 612 613 614 615 616 617 618 619 620 621 622 623 624 625 626 627 628 629 630 631 632 633 634 635 636 637 638 639 640 641 642 643 644 645 646 647 648 649 650 651 652 653 654 655 656 657 658 659 660 661 662 663 664 665 666 667 668 669 670 671 672 673 674 675 676 677 678 679 680 681 682 683 684 685 686 687 688 689 690 691 692 693 694 695 696 697 698 699 700 701 702 703 704 705 706 707 708 709 710 711 712 713 714 715 716 717 718 719 720 721 722 723 724 725 726 727 728 729 730 731 732 733 734 735 736 737 738 739 740 741 742 743 744 745 746 747 748 749 750 751 752 753 754 755 756 757 758 759 760 761 762 763 764 765 766 767 768 769 770 771 772 773 774 775 776 777 778 779 780 781 782 783 784 785 786 787 788 789 790 791 792 793 794 795 796 797 798 799 800 801 802 803 804 805 806 807 808 809 810 811 812 813 814 815 816 817 818 819 820 821 822 823 824 825 826 827 828 829 830 831 832 833 834 835 836 837 838 839 840 841 842 843 844 845 846 847 848 849 850 851 852 853 854 855 856 857 858 859 860 861 862 863 864 865 866 867 868 869 870 871 872 873 874 875 876 877 878 879 880 881 882 883 884 885 886 887 888 889 890 891 892 893 894 895 896 897 898 899 900 901 902 903 904 905 906 907 908 909 910 911 912 913 914 915 916 917 918 919 920 921 922 923 924 925 926 927 928 929 930 931 932 933 934 935 936 937 938 939 940 941 942 943 944 945 946 947 948 949 950 951 952 953 954 955 956 957 958 959 960 961 962 963 964 965 966 967 968 969 970 971 972 973 974 975 976 977 978 979 980 981 982 983 984 985 986 987 988 989 990 991 992 993 994 995 996 997 998 999 1000

M P MURPHEY

To Jas Stuchaugh or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois on the 2d day of June A D 1875 for the taxes for the year 1874 I purchased the following described lot to-wit Lot 5 block 9, Gatling's Addition to Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 2d day of June A D 187

M P MURPHEY

Feb 10 d3w

To Jas M Curren or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 2d day of June A D 1875 for the taxes for the year 1874 I purchased the following described lots to wit Lots 8 and 9 block 3 in Higgins Addition to Decatur and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 2d day of June A D 187

M P MURPHEY

Feb 10 d3w

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BY virtue of one fieri facias to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois in favor of Samuel McRoberts and against Dwight Hitchcock I have levied upon and attached the following described property to-wit The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15) in township fifteen (15) north range three (3) east of the third Principal Meridian in Macon county Illinois taken as property of the said Dwight Hitchcock which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur in Macon county said State on the 10th day of March A D 187 at the hour of 2 o'clock p m of said day for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution

This 12th day of February, A D 187

M FORSTMEYER

Feb 12—d3w Sheriff Macon county

Redemption Notice

To John Beggs or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois on the 2d day of June A D 1875 for the taxes for the year 1874 M P Murphey purchased the following described lot to wit Lot 16, block 1, W H Beggs Addition to Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of June, A D 1877

JAMES HOLLINGER Assignee

Feb 12—d3w

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5 Fast Mail	11 40 a. m

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No 2 Lightning Express	12 [illegible] p m
4 Atlantic	11 50 a m
6 Accommodation	4 50 p m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets

Going east	9 00 a m 9 [illegible] p m
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ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART

No 41 Fast Line	2 30 p m
43 Accommodation	4 30 a m
45 Fast Mail	12 05 p m

ARRIVE

No 42 Lightning Express	10 30 p m
44 Atlantic	11 25 p m
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Ar Danville	8 20 "	3 05 "	1 15 a m
WABASH R R			
Lv Decatur		11 50 a m	10 45 p m
Tolono		1 36 p m	12 01 a'm
Ar Danville		3 00 p m	1 10 a m
Lv Danville	8 [illegible] a m	3 05 p m	1 24 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 45 a m	6 00 p m	4 30 a m
Ar Cincinnati	4 40 p m	10 20 p m	8 45 a m
Dayton	1 p m	11 45 p m	9 25 a m
Columbus		12 45 a m	12 30 p m
Zanesville		2 30 a m	4 20 p m
Wheeling		7 35 a m	8 25 p m
Washington		9 07 p m	7 40 a m
Baltimore		7 35 p m	9 12 a m
Pittsburg		7 50 a m	7 45 p m
Harrisburg		3 55 p m	3 50 a m
Philadelphia		6 20 p m	7 30 a m
New York		10 15 p m	10 35 a m
Crestline		4 35 a m	12 05 p m
Cleveland		7 10 a m	2 30 p m
Buffalo		1 20 p m	8 10 p m
Boston	7 00 a m	8 50 a m	2 40 p m
Louisville	7 45 p m	11 25 p m	8 40 a m
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On and after Monday Dec 4th trains will arrive and leave as follows

ARRIVE FROM EAST

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Accommodation and Express	9 35 p m
Local Freight	7 20 p m

ARRIVE FROM WEST

Fast Line and Mail	2 30 p m
Freight and Accommodation	12 00 m

DEPART WEST

Fast Line and Mail	1 50 p m
Freight and Accommodation	2 30 a m

DEPART EAST

Fast Line and Mail	2 30 p m
Accommodation and Express	7 30 a m
Local Freight	7 00 a m

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D M KENDRICK, General Ticket Agent Paris, Ills

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EASTWARD BOUND TRAINS.

No 1—Freight leaves Decatur..... 6 50 a m
No 3—Passenger " 1 30 p m

WESTWARD BOUND TRAINS

No 2—Passenger arrives at Decatur 11 31 a m
No 4—Freight " 5 20 p m

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Chief Engineer and Supt.

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DEPART

Express	7 38 a. m
Mail	5 30 p. m

ARRIVE

Express	10 30 p. m
Mail	11 15 a. m

J S COOK General Manager,
K HARWOOD, Agent.

Dissolution Notice.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of ROBERTS LYTLE & CO, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, R F Lytle withdrawing from the firm

T T ROBERTS,
R P LYTLE,
O Z GREENE

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Decatur Ill Jan 1 187[illegible] d6w

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STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
MACON COUNTY }

Macon County Circuit Court

Joseph Robinson vs Thomas Boyce and Mary Ann Boyce, et al

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the December term, A D, 1876, I John A Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court,

On Monday, the 19th day of March, A D 1877,

at the hour of two o'clock P M of said day shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur in said county the following described real estate situate in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, to wit Lot thirteen (13) in block eight (8) in Bandy's Addition to the city of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging.—Said premises will be sold subject to redemption JOHN A BROWN,

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Decatur Ill Feb. 25 A D 1877—d&w

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Redemption Notice.

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You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of June, A. D 1875, for the taxes for the year 1874, I purchased the following described town lot, to-wit Lot 12, block 4 of Packard's Addition to Decatur, Illinois taxed in the name of A Ruth, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of June, A D 1877. B. K. DURFEE.

Feb 19—d3w

NOTICE.

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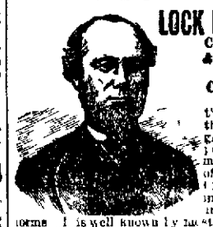

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